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To both HOUSES of

PARLIAMENT,

On *Tuesday* the Twelfth Day of *June*, 1711.



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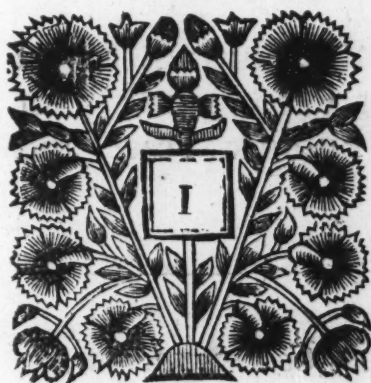
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My Lords and Gentlemen,



T is with great Pleasure I tell you, at the End of this Session, That you have fully Made good all the Assurances you gave Me at the Beginning of it.

This I look upon as a further Pledge of My Subjects Duty and Affection, which is the firmest Support of My Throne.

I Thank you, *Gentlemen of the House of Commons*, in a particular manner, for what you have done. You have Complied with My Desire, in Granting a Supply for Building many New Churches, and you have not only Enabled Me to Carry on the War, but have made Effectual Provision for Paying those Heavy Debts which were almost grown an Insupportable Burthen on the Publick ; And this at a time when Our Enemies every where pleased themselves with the Hopes that the Supplies for the Service of the Current Year could not have been found. You have Disappointed them in all respects, and by the great Sums you have Raised, the greatest ever Granted to any Prince in one Session,

Session, you have Restored the Publick Credit, which I will take Care to Preserve by a Frugal Management.

The World must now be Satisfied, That nothing can be too Difficult for a Parliament filled with so much Zeal for the True Interest of the Nation in Church and State.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

The Satisfaction I take in the Power with which God has Intrusted Me, is, to Employ it for the Protection and Good of all My People, whose Prosperity I have as much at Heart as ever any of My Predecessors had.

You see the happy Effects of a Mutual Confidence between Me and My Subjects ; I shall look upon any Attempt to lessen it, as a Step towards Dissolving My Government.

The Temper you have shown, will I hope Convince those who have the Misfortune to differ from Our Church, that their Liberty is not in Danger.

It is needless for Me to repeat the Assurances of My Earnest Concern for the Succession in the House of *Hannover*, and of My Fixed Resolution to Support and Encourage the Church of *England*, as by Law Established.

You are now Returning to your several Countries, and I expect from you, that you will further Recommend yourselves to Me, by Studying to Promote the Publick Peace and Quiet.

And then the Lord Keeper, by Her Majesties Command, said,

My Lords and Gentlemen,

IT is Her Majesties Royal Will and Pleasure, That this Parliament should be Prorogued to *Tuesday* the Tenth Day of *July* next ; And this Parliament is Prorogued accordingly to *Tuesday* the Tenth Day of *July* next.

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